U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 1431.145.101/FIN 606 PCT/US TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) UNKNOWN DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: PCT/DE2005/000892 May 17, 2005 May 19, 2004 TITLE OF INVENTION: SUPPORT WITH SOLDER BALL ELEMENTS AND A METHOD FOR POPULATING SUBSTRATES WITH SOLDER BALLS APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Bauer, Michael et al. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.

This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items 3. 🔯 (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. 🛛 The U.S. has been elected (Article 31). 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. □ b. 🛛 has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. 🔲 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. A English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. 🔲 is attached hereto. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. 🔲 are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. 🗖 have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. 🔲 d. 🔯 have not been made and will not be made. A English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8. 🔲 9.  $\square$ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). A English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 10. U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: .134.3 An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. 🖾 A preliminary amendment. 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.

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A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.

A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Other items or information: Form PTO-1449; (3) cited references; (5) Drawing Sheets; and 2 return postcards

A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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21. 🗵 Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))					\$300.00	
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23. ☑ Search Fee (37 CFR 1.492(b))  If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$0  Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority					\$500.00	
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